

## This Week

Monday	10 March	
Tuesday	11 March	Life Groups
Wednesday	12 March	2.30-4.30pm. Welcome Café
Thursday	13 March	9:15am The Ark at HBC 7:00pm Ten Sing
Friday	14 March	7:00pm Youth Club
Sunday	16 March	10.30am Worship Service. Theme: Jesus & the Woman Reading: Luke 7: vs 36-50

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Please I have copy for each newsletter by 4pm on the preceding Thursday.  
Thanks, Graham

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***"When Jesus had finished speaking, he said to Simon, 'Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch.'" (Luke 5: v4)***

**Sunday 09 March 2025**

The service is led by **Kim Gregory**  
**Chris Farmer** brings us the message.  
**Theme:** Jesus and Simon  
**Reading:** Luke 5: vs 1-11

**Services in Church** You can connect to the service via your **telephone landline** on **0330 088 5830**. There may be an automatic answer asking for the meeting ID, but it may just wait, in which case just put in the number: **238 183 824 #** Ignore the next question (about your ID or password) and press **#** again. You will be able to hear and speak to everyone.

**The Zoom Meeting** ID: 238 183 824

You can join Zoom for the live service, Recordings of the Sunday sermons are available on the Church Website.

Please see the HBC website at [www.histonbaptist.org.uk](http://www.histonbaptist.org.uk)

**Prayer Corner** If you would like someone to pray with you, the Prayer Corner is open after each morning service. All matters are treated as confidential unless there is need to report a safeguarding concern.

**Please Pray for**  
Gyana Marins,  
The Burmans, Ruth Wilson, David Mudd,  
Hazel Newman, Tolu and family  
Sheila Parr and family

### Alpha

Tonight, we are looking at the question "How Does God Guide Us?" Please pray that as the guests watch the video and discuss it together that they will see how Jesus really is "the way, the truth and the life." Please also begin praying for the sessions on the Holy Spirit which will take place on the 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> March, with the latter date being a time for our guests to receive the Holy Spirit through prayer ministry!

Please continue to pray for the team, the guests and our families, that we would know God's protection, provision and peace through Alpha and that many may come to know and experience the love of God through Jesus Christ our Lord.

And...if you want to pray with our team on the night of Alpha, then pop down from 6:30pm. **Chris**

**Please note that David Mudd** now has a new address as he has moved into Cottenham Court Care Home. Please pray that he will continue to settle in well. He is happy to receive visitors!



**The Flowers this week** have been provided by Elizabeth Warren in memory of David.



**Happy Birthday** to Ann Fishpool (11)

**As we are now in Lent**, let me continue to encourage you to discern what things you might give up (*maybe scrolling on social media, or watching that extra episode on Netflix or maybe a meal here or there*) in order to invest a bit more time with God.

You may also like to take something on through Lent - e.g supporting the Cambridge City Foodbank as mentioned in the email last week - we also have a Foodbank collection box in church for people to donate items so feel free to use this or put them in another collection point (in supermarkets etc). **Chris**

### Eco Tip - Shop for Local Produce

The average item of fresh food travels 1,500 miles before we buy it. These carbon-heavy value chains create emissions through transport, refrigeration and production processes.

You can eliminate this by buying from local producers where you can. A well-established local food economy strengthens supply chains, meaning there are more supply options during shortages. Local, seasonal produce also has higher nutritional value since it has spent less time from its source. Meanwhile, international produce is grown to artificially exceed its natural shelf life, which compromises its nutritional value.